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Mr. Richard Quick
Beijing-Toronto Hotel
Beijing, China

Dear Mr. Quick:

Welcome to Beijing!

Enclosed, as promised, is draft press guidance. In the past, congressional staff delegations could expect little press notice. Our experience with Senator Rudman's recent visit suggests that this time could be different. Therefore, I would appreciate it if you could review with Mr. Ratliff what we have drafted and get back to me or to our Press Attache Sherry Bell as soon as possible with clearance or any changes. My home telephone is 532-4951; Sherry's is 532-2780.

I would also appreciate it if I could get together with you and Mr. Ratliff briefly on Sunday to discuss the rest of your schedule. Please let me know what time would be convenient for you.

Sincerely,

Lauren Moriarty

Lauren Moriarty
First Secretary

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Visit to China
August 26-September 8, 1989.

Mr. James O. Ratliff, Chief of Staff to U.S. Senator Alan K. Simpson (Republican-Wyoming), is leading an eight-person delegation to China August 27 to September 8. The delegation will visit Beijing, Xian, Shanghai, Guangzhou, and Hainan. The delegation will hold discussions on political and economic topics. Following is a list of the delegation members:

MR. JAMES RATLIFF
Chief of Staff
Senator Alan K. Simpson (Senate Republican Whip, Wyoming)

MS. ANNE CALDWELL
Executive Assistant
Senator Richard C. Shelby (D-Alabama)

MR. ROB WALLACE
Administrative Assistant
Senator Malcolm Wallop (R-Wyoming)

MR. JORGE LAMBRINOS
Administrative Assistant
Congressman Edward Roybal (D-California)

MR. MIKLOS RADVANY
Foreign Affairs Advisor
Congressman Christopher Cox (R-California)

MR. MATTHEW FLETCHER
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House Committee on Government Operations

MR. ROBERT MCARTHUR
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